FISCAL NOTE

HB 3288

February 26, 2008

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires individuals employed by an agency licensed under the Mental Health, Developmental Disability and Personal Support Services Licensure Law who provide services in a private residence by assisting the client with opening medication packaging and provide medication reminders without giving the client any form of medication to be a licensed practical nurse or registered nurse.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Revenue – Not Significant
Increase State Expenditures – Not Significant

Assumptions:

- A slight increase in nurse licensure applications resulting in an increase in expenditures by the Board of Nursing to review and approve such licenses will be off set by an increase in revenue from licensure fee collections.
- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. §§ 4-3-1011 and 63-1-137, all health-related boards are required to be self-supporting for a two-year period.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director